

Change to 2003-2004 HHG RFO Cover Letter dated July 3, 2003

The reference to specific requirements for Department of State domestic traffic, cited in Paragraph #4, Item B, Number 3 should read as Section 3-4. (see change below):

4. Special Agency Provisions - Alternating: In addition to offers for general transportation rates, TSPs have the option to file:

B. Non-Alternating Rate Offers: TSPs may file non-alternating, agency specific rates as identified in RFO Section 3. Non-Alternating rate offers will apply specifically to those Federal agencies/locations identified in RFO Section 3 and Section 5-1 and will not alternate with any other accepted rate offer.

1. Department of Veterans Affairs requests rate offers based on a released value of \$6.50 per pound, capped at a liability of \$110,000;
2. Department of State (DOS) requests rate offers based on a released value of \$8.00 per pound on international shipments only and has modified transit times for international shipments between the United States and foreign countries.  
TSPs offering rates for international DOS shipments must also have a secure Internet website for tracking of the shipment while in route. (RFO Section 3-3)
3. DOS requests domestic rate offers based on a released value of \$6.50 per pound. Domestic offers are also inclusive of various accessorial services. Only those rates submitted and accepted for DOS domestic shipments will not incur additional accessorial charges except as those listed in Section 3. (RFO Section 3-4)